## CUFF-TOP VALANCE

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- This fully lined, scallop-edge valance trimmed with piping can be adapted to fit any size window. Our instructions fit a standard window ( 36 " to 43 " wide), and include the information needed to add to or reduce the width. The finished length of the valance is approximately $18 "$ at the short point and $27 "$ at the sides.
$\square$ This valance works best when constructed out of a medium-weight decorative fabric.

$\square$ Use a drapery interlining to give the valance the best body and shape. Interlining is a flannel-like cotton fabric that hangs between the face fabric and the lining. It is available in white and natural colors and can be found at most decorative fabric stores and at www.patemeadows.com. It is not the same thing as interfacing.
$\square$ We attached our valance to the wall using knobs (available at www.patemeadows.com), but a wooden curtain rod can be used. The ties at the top are optional. Small balloon shade rings can be used instead.

Note: It is best not to use a directional fabric for the contrast lining as it will appear upside down when the cuff is folded over.

## Materials

These amounts are for a valance measuring 36" to 43" finished, installed width. See chart below for other window widths. These amounts are based on 54 " wide fabric.

## Fabrics:

- $1 \frac{1}{2}$ yards of decorative fabric for valance
- $11 / 2$ yards of decorative fabric for valance back.
- $11 / 2$ yards of fabric to cover piping
- $11 \frac{1}{2}$ yards of drapery interlining
*Allow extra fabric to match patterns \& plaids

Supplies:

## Erasable fabric marker

7 yards of 4/32"-diameter cotton piping 6 balloon shade rings or clip-on rings 6 decorative knobs

Yardage for Other Window Widths

| Window Width | Face fabric*, contrast fabric, interlining | Fabric to cover piping** | 4/32" cotton piping | Number of Knobs | Trim along bottom edge(optional) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 20-27" | $11 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$ | $11 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$ | 6 yds | 4 | 3 yds |
| 28-35" | $11 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$ | $11 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$ | 7 yds | 5 | $31 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$ |
| 36-43" | $11 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$ | $11 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$ | 8 yds | 6 | 4 yds |
| $44-51 "$ | $21 / 4 \mathrm{yds}$ | $11 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$ | 8 yds | 7 | $41 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$ |
| 52-59" | $21 / 4 \mathrm{yds}$ | $11 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$ | 9 yds | 8 | 5 yds |
| 60-67" | $21 / 4 \mathrm{yds}$ | $11 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$ | 10 yds | 9 | $51 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$ |
| 68-75" | $21 / 4 \mathrm{yds}$ | $11 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$ | 11 yds | 10 | 6 yds |
| 76"-83" | 3 yds | $11 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$ | 12 yds | 11 | $61 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$ |
| 84-91" | 3 yds | $11 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$ | 12 yds | 12 | 7 yds |
| 92-99" | 3 yds | $11 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$ | 13 yds | 13 | $71 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$ |
| 100-107" | $33 / 4 \mathrm{yds}$ | $11 / 2 \mathrm{yds}$ | 14 yds | 14 | 8 yds |

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    **For multiple windows, a total of 2 yard fabric for piping is usually sufficient

